1978 No. 70

ROAD TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES

Restriction of Traffic (Portadown, Warrenpoint and Armagh) Order (Northern Ireland) 1978

Made . . . . . *9th March* 1978

Coming into operation . . . . *24th April* 1978

WHEREAS the Department of the Environment (in this Order referred to as "the Department") is satisfied that the roads described in the schedule are unsuitable for use by certain classes of vehicles:

NOW, THEREFORE the Department in exercise of the powers conferred by section 20 of the Road Traffic Act (Northern Ireland) 1970(a) and now vested in it(b) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf hereby makes the following Order:

1. This Order may be cited as the Restriction of Traffic (Portadown, Warrenpoint and Armagh) Order (Northern Ireland) 1978 and shall come into operation on 24th April 1978.

2.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2) the roads described in the schedule shall not be used by vehicles exceeding three tons in laden weight.

(2) Paragraph (1) shall not apply to the use of the roads described in paragraphs 1 to 3 of the schedule by vehicles exceeding three tons in laden weight where such vehicles are being used either by the owners or occupiers of premises or lands abutting on or convenient to the said roads or in connection with the delivery to or collection from such premises or lands of goods of any kind, or in connection with emergency or public utility services other than public transport.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of the Environment for Northern Ireland on 9th March 1978.

(L.S.) *T. J. McCormick*
Senior Assistant Secretary

(a) 1970 c. 2 (N.I.)
(b) by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 504 article 4 (II, p. 2992)